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INTERNA	FIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/EP04/013184	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE 19 November 2004	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED 21 November 2003			
TITLE OF	INVENTION FOOD COMPOSITION	COMPRISING GLUCOSAMINE				
APPLICA	NT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Courtois e	t al.				
Applicant	herewith submits to the United Sta	ates Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO	O/US) the following items and other information:			
1.	This is a FIRST submission of items co	ncerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371				
2. X	This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.					
3. X	This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.					
4. 🔲	The US has been elected (Article 31).					
5.	A copy of the International Application	n as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))				
	a. is attached hereto (required	only if not communicated by the Internation	al Bureau).			
	b. has been communicated by	the International Bureau.				
_	c. is not required, as the applic	cation was filed in the United States Receivi	ng Office (RO/US).			
6. 🗀	An English language translation of the	e International Application as filed (35 U.S.C	: 371(c)(2)).			
	a. is attached hereto.					
	 b. has been previously submit 	tted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).				
7.	Amendments to the claims of the Inte	mational Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))			
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	c. have not been made; how	ever, the time limit for making such amendm	nents has NOT expired.			
_	d. have not been made and v	vill not be made.				
8. 📙	An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).					
9. X	An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).					
10.	An English language translation of the Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).	e annexes of the International Preliminary E	xamination Report under PCT			
Items	11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:				
11. 🔲	An Information Disclosure Statement	under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.				
12. 🔲	An assignment document for recording	g. A separate cover sheet in compliance wit	th 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.			
13. 🔲	A preliminary amendment.					
14. 🔲	An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.					
15.	A substitute specification.					
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17. 🔲	A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821- 1.825.					
18. 🔲	A second copy of the published Intern	national Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).			
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